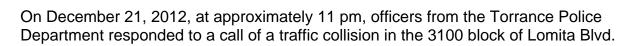
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Fatal Traffic Collision Incident # 120076934 December 22, 2012



On arrival, officers discovered a 61-year-old female from Los Angeles, while driving westbound Lomita Blvd., veered off the roadway and struck a light pole on the north side of the street. The driver of the vehicle was pronounced dead at the scene by members of the Torrance Fire Department. No other passengers were inside the vehicle and no other vehicles were involved in the crash. Lomita Blvd. between Early and Telo was closed for approximately three hours while traffic investigators were on scene.

The female was positively identified by investigators, but her name is being withheld pending notification to a next of kin.

This collision is being investigated by the Torrance Police Department's Traffic Division under the direction of Captain Bernard Anderson, Commander of the Special Operations Bureau. Anyone with information about this collision is encouraged to contact the Torrance Police Department's Traffic Division at (310) 618-5557.

Sergeant Chris Kozak Traffic and Special Events Sergeant